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**MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re: Application of Shinichi NAGAOKA, Tomoo HIROTA, and Yoshiaki TOGAWA  
DESIGN METHOD OF A MOLD, PRODUCTION METHOD OF AN  
INJECTION MOLDING, PROGRAM AND INJECTION MOLDING DEVICE  
**Assignee: SUMITOMO CHEMICAL COMPANY, LIMITED**  
Our Ref. Q80742

17510 US PTO  
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Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising 28 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract and 11 sheets of drawings in the Japanese language. A verified English translation and copies of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

|                    |           |   |           |   |                   |   |         |   |                        |
|--------------------|-----------|---|-----------|---|-------------------|---|---------|---|------------------------|
| Total claims       | <u>14</u> | - | <u>20</u> | = | <u>          </u> | x | \$18.00 | = | <u>          </u>      |
| Independent claims | <u>1</u>  | - | <u>3</u>  | = | <u>          </u> | x | \$86.00 | = | <u>          </u>      |
| Base Fee           |           |   |           |   |                   |   |         |   | \$770.00               |
| <b>TOTAL FEE</b>   |           |   |           |   |                   |   |         |   | <b><u>\$770.00</u></b> |

A check for the statutory filing fee of \$770.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.



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Priority is claimed from:

| <u>Country</u> | <u>Application No</u> | <u>Filing Date</u> |
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| Japan          | 2003-094452           | March 31, 2003     |
| Japan          | 2003-145629           | May 23, 2003       |

The priority documents will be filed at a later date.

Respectfully submitted,  
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